

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/226,939

Applicant(s)

VINCENT ET AL.

Examiner

ANH LY

Art Unit

2162

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) ANH LY.

(3) _____.

(2) Jenni R. Moen (Reg. No. 52,038).

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: MOM. 06/09/2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 40-74.

Identification of prior art discussed: NONE.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner made suggestions that Applicants should group the currently claimed inventions from 40-74 into two groups: Group I includes 52-59, 64 and 69, Group II includes the rest of claims. This would make claims to be in a good condition for allowance. The applicant's representative agreed to change the dependency of claim 49, from 75 (non-existence claim) to 48 via Examiner Amendment in the next QA..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required